

AF  
3643



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **KANAYA, Masatoshi et al.**

Group Art Unit: 3643

Serial No.: 10/069,954

Examiner: **David J. Parsley**

Filed: **July 1, 2002**

P.T.O. Confirmation No.: 4537

For: **METHOD OF DETECTING AND REMOVING UNSTRIPPED RESIDUAL SHELL LEFT ON SHELLFISH, AND APPARATUS THEREFOR**

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116  
- EXPEDITED RESPONSE -  
GROUP ART UNIT 3643

11/ (C) 7/8/03  
**RECEIVED**

JUL 08 2003

**GROUP 3600**  
Cofa  
8-14-03

MAILSTOP AF

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **April 2, 2003**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

entry not approved  
7/11/03  
entry not approved  
DP 7-10-03